

I have been an Amateur Radio Operator for 34 years--1st licensed in 1969. I have provided emergency communications through ARES/RACES for everything from Hurricanes to the Buffalo Blizzard of '77 to 09/11/01. Our frequencies are essential for public service and emergency communications. This Broadband over Powerline will destroy the usefulness of our bands. It will ruin Shortwave listening, CB Radio (including the public service provided by REACT), VHF communications and TV Channels 2 through 5. Look at BPL from a technical viewpoint. It will cause unacceptable interference from 2 through 80 Mhz. PLEASE KILL THE BPL IDEA NOW!!!!

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